

UPES MEDAL POLICY

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UPES

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Dehradun, Uttarakhand 248007



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Introduction:

The UPES Medal Policy outlines the eligibility criteria and evaluation process for awarding University Medals. This policy is applicable to all undergraduate and postgraduate students, including those enrolled in regular and online programs. University Medals are conferred upon students who have exhibited outstanding academic excellence during their tenure at UPES, provided they fulfil the specific eligibility requirements established by UPES.

Terms and Conditions:

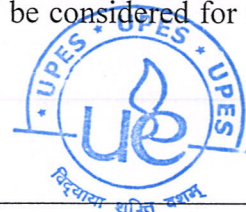
- a. The terms and conditions outlined herein shall govern the UPES MEDAL POLICY at UPES, Dehradun.
- b. "Medal" includes Gold, Silver, and Letter of Appreciation(LOA).
- c. The medal awarded is non-transferable and cannot be exchanged for cash, cheques, or transferred to another student under any circumstances.

Eligibility Criteria for Award of Gold/Silver/LOA:

1. Students must not have faced any disciplinary action during their time at the University.
2. There should be no record of an 'F' grade or any improvement examinations.
3. If the top-ranking student in the Order of Merit is found ineligible, the medal will be awarded to the next eligible student in the Merit Order.
4. Specializations within the same program will be treated as a single batch for medal consideration.
5. In the event of a tie, the Merit Order will be determined based on the CGPA calculated up to the third decimal place.
6. Students must complete their degree within the minimum time frame stipulated by UGC regulations.
7. Students admitted through lateral entry or migration are not eligible to receive medals.

Disclaimer:

1. Notwithstanding anything under this policy, UPES Management has sole discretion to edit, modify, change, update, continue or abandon below mentioned policy going forward at any given point in time, without any prior written intimation.
2. The Vice Chancellor will be the final deciding authority for all the decisions as stated in this specific disclaimer.
3. No student will be awarded two medals even in different categories, however, a Letter of Appreciation awardee (where batch size is > 10) may qualify/ be considered for a medal in another category.



For Regular Students

1) Academic Performance Medals- Gold/Silver/LOA

✓ Gold Medal

- Topper of each school with a minimum CGPA 9.00 (Undergraduate – 01, Postgraduate – 01)

✓ Silver Medal

- Topper of each program with a minimum CGPA of 8.5. If the topper is a gold medal recipient, the next student with a CGPA greater than 8.5 will be awarded a silver medal.
- Batch size having more than or equal to 10 students are eligible for the Silver Medal.

✓ Letter of Appreciation

- Topper of each program except where gold/silver medal has been awarded with a minimum CGPA of 8.5
- A batch size having less than 10 students are also eligible for a Letter of Appreciation.

2) All Round Performance Medal- Basis Nomination from Schools

✓ President's Gold Medal –Best All –Round Performance in the University

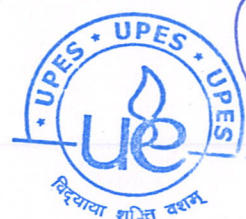
One Gold Medal is to be awarded for 'Best All- Round Performance' to the best student at the University based on the nominations received from each school. Respective schools shall forward their nomination through a committee comprising of Dean/Director as Chairperson and Cluster Heads as members based on the following criteria:

- CGPA 9.0 on 10-point scale
- Participation in Extra Curricular and Co-Curricular activities
- Leadership Skills
- Students should not have been subjected to any disciplinary action.

✓ Silver Medal – “Best All- Round Performance” in School

One Silver Medal is to be awarded for “Best All- Round Performance” to one student of each School based on the nominations received from each school. Respective schools shall forward their nomination through a committee comprising of Dean/Director as Chairperson and Cluster Heads as members based on following criteria:

- CGPA 9.0 on 10-point scale
- Participation in Extra Curricular and Co-Curricular activities
- Leadership Skills



- Students should not have been subjected to any disciplinary action.
- In the case of the school, where its nomination is selected for the **President's Gold Medal** amongst the nominations received from each school, the second-best student is to be considered for the 'Best All-Round Performance' for that particular School.

3) Dean's Award

Dean's Award is an academic award given to students who demonstrate exceptional academic achievement during the University term.

Eligibility Criteria for Dean's Award

1. A minimum CGPA of 8.5 on a 10-point scale.
2. Active participation in extracurricular and co-curricular activities.
3. The student should not have faced any disciplinary action.
4. No record of an 'F' grade or any improvement examinations.
5. Specializations within the same program will be grouped together as one batch.
6. The Dean's Award will be given to 5% of the total graduating students in each program, or to one (1) student, whichever is higher.
7. In case of a tie, the merit order will be determined based on CGPA, calculated up to the third decimal point.
8. The decision of the Committee shall be final and cannot be challenged.

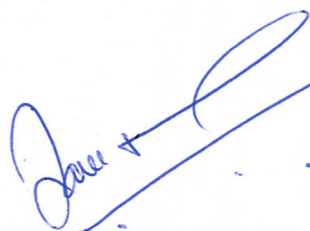
For UPESONLINE (CCE) Students

Silver Medal

Silver Medal for the Topper of each program with a minimum CGPA of 8.5



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